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Letter dated 10 September 2002 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1433 (2002) of 15 August 2002 establishing the United Nations Mission in Angola. In this connection, I would like to inform the Council that, following the usual consultations, it is my intention to appoint Ibrahim Gambari (Nigeria) as my Special Representative for Angola. In this capacity, he will also serve as Chairman of the recently re-established Joint Commission for the Angolan peace process.

As you know, Mr. Gambari has been serving as my Special Adviser for Special Assignments in Africa, and has been closely involved in promoting the peace process in Angola. It is expected that he will take up his post in Luanda by mid-September 2002.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Kofi A. **Annan**

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